January 10, 1977

Mr. Henry Jarrett
Plant Manager
L. E. Carpenter and Company
170 North Main Street
Wharton, New Jersey 07885

Re: Implementation of SPCC Plan under terms of Settlement Agreement Docket No.: OH-II-75-06

Dear Mr. Jarrett:

A review of EPA's files reveals that no correspondence has been received from your company since September, 1976, despite EPA's request to Mr. Singleton (in September, 1975) and to you (in July, 1976) for the submittal of monthly progress reports on your SPCC Plan implementation. Specifically, at this time, EPA desires to know exactly which elements, if any, specified in Mr. Savage's SPCC Plan, as amended, have not been performed, and, in addition, which of the recommendations contained in Mr. Theodore Schwartz's letter of March 5, 1976 have not yet been carried out by Carpenter.

This case has remained active on our files for an inordinately long period of time; I would like to close it as soon as possible. Considering that almost four months have passed since the problem of a disposal site arose, I should expect that this problem has now been solved.

Your prompt response to this inquiry, and the regular transmittal of monthly updates to this office, in the event that implementation is still not complete, would greatly facilitate EPA's work.

Sincerely yours,

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